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Sir:

This Response is made in response to the Office Action mailed October 3, 2005. Please  
amend the above-referenced application as follows:

**Amendments to the Specification** begin on page 2 of this paper.

**Amendments to the Claims** are reflected in the listing of claims which begins on page 5 of  
this paper.

**Remarks/Arguments** begin on page 11 of this paper.